

Listing of Claims:

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Claims 1-21 (Canceled).

22. (Previously Presented) A frame spreader with extended and retracted positions and at least one preset spreader length that spaces frame components in a wall at a preset distance, the spreader comprising:

at least one elongate body member;

a first extension hingeably attached to the at least one elongate body member and configured to move between a folded position and an unfolded position where;

in the folded position the extension overlaps the at least one elongate body member and the folded extension does not contribute to the spreader length; and in the unfolded position the extension extends from the at least one elongate body member and the unfolded extension contributes to the spreader length;

wherein in the extended spreader position the frame components contact two ends of the spreader at the preset spacing distance and in the retracted spreader position the two ends of the spreader are spaced from the frame components.

23. (Previously Presented) The frame spreader of claim 22 wherein at least one end of the at least one elongate body member and at least one end of the first extension each conforms, at least in part, to the profile of the frame component for which the spacing is set by the spreader.

24. (Previously Presented) The frame spreader of claim 22 further comprising a second extension hingeably attached to the at least one elongate body member and configured to move between a folded position and an unfolded position where:

in the folded position overlapping the at least one elongate body member the second extension does not contribute to the spreader length; and

in the unfolded position extending from the at least one elongate body member the second extension contributes to the spreader length.

25. (Previously Presented) The frame spreader of claim 24 wherein at least one end of the first extension, at least one end of the elongate body member and at least one end of the second extension conforms, at least in part, to the profile of the frame component for which the spacing is set by the spreader.

26. (Previously Presented) The frame spreader of claim 22 further comprising standoffs to elevate the spreader above floor level.